GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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MISUSE OF IRCON AIRCRAFT
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of the Government has been drawn to the news-item captioned, `Railways misused IRCON Aircraft` as reported in the Statesman dated December 25, 2001;

(b) if so, whether the Railways have hired IRCON`s aircraft for a large number of times for unofficial purposes;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) the details of responsibilities fixed by the Government in this regard; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government to check such misuse of aircraft in future?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINIST RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) to (e) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.